

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
WESTERN DIVISION**

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY)	
COMMISSION, and ALAN PETTET, et al.,)	
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Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	No. 11-CV-00990-W-DW
)	
AT&T CORPORATION,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

**DEFENDANT'S MOTION FOR SUMMARY JUDGMENT
AGAINST PLAINTIFFS HORTSMAN, PETTET, AND RODGERS**

Plaintiffs Karen Hortsman, Alan Pettet, and Barbara Rodgers were terminated from their employment with Defendant AT&T Corporation (“AT&T”) after they consistently failed to meet AT&T’s performance expectations. Although Plaintiffs allege their employment was terminated due to their respective ages, AT&T had legitimate, non-discriminatory reasons for its actions and Plaintiffs’ wholly conclusory allegations of age discrimination are unsupported. Because the uncontroverted facts demonstrate AT&T is entitled to judgment as a matter of law with respect to Plaintiffs’ claim, AT&T respectfully moves this Court, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56 and W.D. Mo. R. 56.1, to enter summary judgment in favor of AT&T. Suggestions in support of this motion are filed separately.

Respectfully submitted,

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